

RECT HOUSES, SHE WARNS CAPITALISTS

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TOO BUSY ON NEW PLANTS

Landlord Admits He Is a Profiteer and Says No One Will Stop Him.

Although architects are working overtime on plans for plants to be erected or remodelled in anticipation of a big industrial boom, few plans are being drawn for buildings in which to house the workers, according to Mrs. Henry Moskowitz, secretary of the Governor's Reconstruction Commission.

"And I call this neglect a very shortsighted business policy," she said, adding:

"The big men seem to be certain industrial expansion is coming. But they are not making provision for homes for workers. The architects seem to have about all they can do, but I do not find any making plans for moderate priced homes."

"The very big business men have to watch out if they wish to protect their business interests. There must be houses for their workers. Advancing money on a mortgage so that homes may be built for employees may be less than the 4% per cent return on a Liberty bond, but it will pay in the protection it will give the income of the bond."

State Senator Charles C. Lockwood, chairman of the joint legislative committee investigating housing, said last evening the committee would not be satisfied until it gets all possible information. All day sessions are being planned.

The committee will resume its inquiry in the City Hall at 10 o'clock this morning. Witnesses on the list for to-day and to-morrow are: Richard M. Hurd, president Lawyers Mortgage Company; Clarence H. Kealey, president Title Guaranty and Trust Company; Louis V. Bright, president Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Company; George A. Fleury, president United States Title Guaranty Company; Brooklyn; Albert E. Marling, president Horace S. Bly & Co.; Robert E. Dowling, president City Investing Company; Louis J. Horowitz, president Thompson-Starrett City; Borough Presidents Connolly of Queens, Bergmann of Kings and Bruckner of the Bronx, experts of the Record and Guide and the American Architect and Jacob Panken, Socialist, Municipal Court Justice Abram I. Elkus, chairman of the Reconstruction Commission, will testify to-morrow.

A sub-committee of the Joint Legislative Committee will go to Washington soon to get the views of Secretary Wilson, Senator Kenyon of Iowa, Samuel Gompers and two experts of the Department of Labor.

Abraham Blumenthal, president of the Beachwood Realty Company, Inc., 559 Broadway, was hailed yesterday before David Hirschfeld, Commissioner of Accounts, in connection with complaints of excessive rents in the city.

Blumenthal read a statement in which he said: "If a profiteer means getting the market value for a commodity one hundred times its value, I intend to get for the commodities I handle the fair market value and I don't intend to let any one stop me, excepting as all of my fellow men are doing the same thing in their respective lines."

Blumenthal intimated his rents are no higher than the prevailing rents in his section.

Louis A. Stone, a lawyer, said Blumenthal increased his rent from \$42.50 to \$82.50. Herbert W. Alrich, another tenant, said his rent was raised from \$25 to \$50. Others were raised from \$65 to \$95.

Commissioner Hirschfeld declared he would call the attention of the assessors to this particular apartment house.

GAS CO. WOULD BAR BURR OUT OF CASE

Consolidated Fights His Appearance as Opponent.

There is a battle on between Corporation Counsel William P. Burr and the Consolidated Gas Company as to whether or not he is to appear in any capacity in opposition to the attempt of the corporation to have the eighty-cent gas law declared confiscatory and unconstitutional. Mr. Burr, then an Assistant Corporation Counsel, represented the city in the famous fight made by the company to throw out the law that was carried to the United States Supreme Court in 1909. Naturally he has a knowledge of the subject that the company does not care to have used against them in their present suit.

When this suit was brought the Attorney-General, the Public Service Commission and the District Attorney of New York County were made defendants. Corporation Counsel Burr moved to defend on behalf of the city. The motion was denied by Judge Mayer in the United States Court on the ground that "New York City has no legal right or connection with the defence of the suit."

Then the Corporation Counsel appeared as the Solicitor of the District Attorney, who averred that he did not have the proper facilities to defend the action, and on this representation the court made an order substituting Mr. Burr as "Solicitor for the District Attorney" and not as Corporation Counsel. Whereupon the Consolidated Gas counsel moved to set the order aside on the ground that the Corporation Counsel is paid a large salary to take care of the city's business and that he would be wasting his time acting for the District Attorney, and furthermore, as he is informed by public action, the city should appropriate funds to assist the work of the "Solicitor" it would be an unlawful act. This motion will be argued on Thursday.

The "Solicitor" has already filed an answer on behalf of the District Attorney, denying the allegation of the company that the United States Supreme Court decided that the company was entitled to a 6 per cent. return on its property at all times, but that a "reasonable return" should be constructed with due regard to contemporary conditions.

Maria Gets on the Job

Arnaud C. Maria, director of the campaign which the Roosevelt Memorial Association is conducting this fall, arrived at the national headquarters, 1 Madison avenue, yesterday. Mr. Maria came to New York from Nashville, Tenn., where he directed the campaign waged by the Methodist Episcopal Church South for a fund of \$25,000,000.

VON TILING ACCUSED OF SEDITION WORDS

Plea for Germans Forfeits Citizenship, U. S. Charges.

Trials of the suit of the Government to revoke the naturalization of a citizen of Dr. Johannes H. M. A. von Tiling of Poughkeepsie was begun yesterday before Judge Martin T. Manton in the Federal District Court. It is alleged that Dr. von Tiling did not take the oath of allegiance in good faith and that he gave evidence of his feelings by seditious remarks after the United States had become a belligerent against Germany.

Joseph H. Estes, a former agent of the Department of Justice who is now a private investigator in Washington, D. C., said that Dr. von Tiling told him in April, 1918, that he had not given up his natural love for his fatherland.

Dr. von Tiling, who was born in Riga, Russia, of German parentage, is alleged to have defended the sinking of the Lusitania and to have declared that Germany had justice on her side. He was made a citizen in 1909 in Poughkeepsie.

STORK ALSO FAILS IN ATLANTIC FLIGHT

Bird Alights With Little Girl Passenger on Board La Touraine.

A passenger, not originally entered on the ship's manifest, appeared in mid-ocean on Thursday aboard the French liner La Touraine, in yesterday morning. The bird, a stork, was seen flying over the ship, and the father, Alphonse Erwin, formerly a cook here in the Hotel Savoy, promptly named the newcomer, a girl, Georgeanne Touraine Erwin. It is French tradition to name seaborne babies for the ships on which they arrive.

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The Rev. Dr. Jonathan C. Day, Commissioner of Public Markets, explained yesterday why his department found it necessary to increase rentals for stalls in Washington Market.

"The city is losing more than \$10,000 a year on Washington Market," he said. "It is actually carrying a dead loss to furnish places for the fellows to do business."

"I have been keeping close tabs on everything pertaining to that market. I know that 90 per cent. of the people who patronize the market are New Jersey commuters. Why should the taxpayers of New York City carry a deficit to benefit the people of New Jersey? The market should be on the other side of the river, it seems to me."

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There is much dissatisfaction among the stallholders over the announcement that their rents are to be raised. Fear is expressed that if rents are jacked up at the beginning of the summer, when business becomes dull, some of the dealers may be compelled to quit the market and go elsewhere. If this should happen, several market men have pointed out, the Department of Public Markets will have another deficiency to make up.

HAMBY IS INDICTED AS DOUBLE SLAYER

Murder Convict Accused of Brooklyn Bank Tragedy.

Gordon Fawcett Hamby, who, the police is also known as Jack B. Hamby and Boyd Browning, was indicted yesterday by the Kings county Grand Jury on a charge of murder in the first degree for the killing of Henry W. Coons and De Witt C. Fox in the robbery of the East Brooklyn Savings Bank in December. Hamby is now in Tacoma, Wash., where he recently has been convicted of a murder and is expected, it is expected, will make his extradition difficult.

District Attorney Lewis went before the Grand Jury with the case after he had received a telegram from his assistant, Albert Conway, who went to Tacoma with Albert G. Freeman, assistant of the Kings county Grand Jury, and George H. McCullough, who drove the taxicab in which the robbers escaped. Mr. Conway's message stated that both Freeman and McCullough had identified Hamby as the man who killed two bank employees and robbed the institution of \$13,000.

Mr. Conway also stated that he had conferred with the Governor of Washington regarding the extradition of Hamby, and that the Governor had promised to help the New York authorities to get the man. Mr. Lewis said that he would file the indictment and other papers, which are to be signed by Gov. Smith in extradition proceedings.

ALDERMAN PLANS FILM CENSORSHIP

Lee Would Make License Chief Absolute.

An ordinance making the Commissioner of Licenses the official censor of motion picture films and providing that a license would have to be obtained before any film could be exhibited in this city has been introduced by Alderman Augustus M. Wise. A hearing will be held on it in the Aldermanic Chamber by the Committee on General Welfare and the Board of Aldermen Wednesday afternoon.

At present the only power that the Commissioner of Licenses has to prevent the showing of an objectionable film is to refuse the license of the theatre showing it. Unless the picture is withdrawn, this cannot be done until after the film has been exhibited, and the fight for its suppression usually means capacity houses. This puts premium on the production of pictures which are on the border line, the producer taking a chance that they will not be finally ruled out and with be widely advertised.

The ordinance provides that "if a picture or a series of pictures for the showing or exhibition of which an application for a permit is made, is immoral or obscene, indecent or suggestive, or such as will, in the judgment of the Commissioner, tend to deprave or corrupt the minds of the people, or to bring public office or anything identified with any religious belief, or has a tendency to disturb the public peace, it shall be the duty of the Commissioner of Licenses to refuse such a permit."

Any film shown to the public when a permit has been refused would be considered as obscene and the person or corporation exhibiting it subject to a fine of from \$50 to \$100.

Schreyer's Recovery Expected.

At Fordham Hospital last night it was reported that "Daredevil" Schreyer, who was injured in Van Cortlandt Park Sunday afternoon while doing his "Leap of Death," was still in a semi-conscious condition but would recover. He is under the care of Drs. Harry Mammol and Edward Stiepla of the hospital staff.

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BANDITS REPEAT HOLD UP; SHOOT TWO

Robbers Invade Saloon Twice in Forty-eight Hours.

Ten customers were standing before the bar in Dennis Sheridan's saloon at 116 West End avenue last evening discussing the holdup there on Saturday night. Dennis Byrne, the bandit, who is Sheridan's nephew and a discharged veteran of the Seventy-seventh Division, was ordered by two unidentified men to throw up his hands. One of the robbers covered Byrne and the five others who were in the place with his revolver while the second man rifled the cash register. They got away with \$71.

It was about 9:30 o'clock last night and Patrick Scanlon, a chauffeur, living at 143 Amsterdam avenue, had just said that he had been shot and was in a "hot" with a holdup. If he had a fair chance at them, when the saloon doors swung inward and two young men wearing caps and coats entered, another of the robbers ordered Byrne and the group of customers to throw up their hands. One had just rounded the bar and was making his way toward the cash register when Scanlon recovered from his shock of astonishment.

"Where do you get that stuff?" he called out and swung to the jaw of the nearest bandit. The blow sent the man reeling against the lunch counter, but he recovered himself and there was a flash of flame and a report and Scanlon went down with a bullet through his abdomen. William Waldhelm of 240 West Sixty-fifth street, another of the customers, started for the youth who had fired, but the bandit behind the bar pulled his trigger and Waldhelm dropped, too, with his left arm useless.

"Well, kill the first man who leaves here," called out one of the gunmen as they hurried out. It is not known whether they had an automobile waiting or not, but all traces of them were lost. News of the second holdup in the Sheridan establishment within forty-eight hours brought the police from the West Sixty-eighth street station to the West Sixty-fifth street station. Waldhelm is at Roosevelt Hospital.

MURDER OF WOMAN MYSTIFIES POLICE

Autopsy Shows Anna Reilly Was Foul Play Victim.

Detectives of the East Eighty-eighth street police station and from the homicide bureau searched the Yorkville section last night to find all the young men and women who attended house parties Saturday evening, in an effort to unravel the mystery surrounding the murder of Miss Anna Reilly, 32, of 1107 Park avenue, who was found dying in the rear hallway of the tenement at 316 East Ninety-third street. The girl, who was employed by the National Biscuit Company, was found at about 10:30 p. m. in Bellevue Hospital with wounds on her neck and chest.

Early Sunday morning Mrs. Rose Schall, who lives on the ground floor of the East Ninety-third street tenement, was awakened by hearing groans in the hallway. She discovered the unconscious girl in time to see several men run out the front doorway.

There were several house parties in progress in the neighborhood Saturday and the police believe Anna Reilly may have been present at one of them. Her lace shoes, a pair of dancing pumps, a ring with two small pearls and a pocketbook containing several dollars and cents were found near the body. She was taken to the hospital. This leads the police to believe that robbery may have been the motive for the crime.

Anna Reilly was found by a man who had been struck and knocked down by an automobile, carried to the tenement hallway and abandoned. Dr. Otto H. Schultze and his assistant, Dr. Benjamin Schwartz, said that the woman had been the victim of foul play.

\$2,000,000 IRISH DRIVE IS LAUNCHED TO-DAY

New York's Share of Freedom's Fund \$150,000.

Advocates of Irish freedom will launch a campaign to-day to raise \$150,000 in New York city for propaganda. The drive is part of a nationwide campaign to get \$2,000,000.

Supreme Court Justice Cohan, who is chairman of the finance committee of the drive, said last night that the object is "to present the case of the Irish to the American public in a truthful light." He added that the representatives of the Irish, the Irish Convention, which is responsible for the campaign, feel that this really has never been done.

"We wish to safeguard American ideals," he said, "and of course opposed to the League of Nations and any other covenants that might deprive people of their independence."

He said that the campaign would be carried on largely through paid advertisements which would explain Ireland's case and call for the recognition of an Irish republic. The drive for funds will last two weeks.

William Spain of 417 Fifth avenue is treasurer of the finance committee, which will hold its meetings at the Waldorf-Astoria. Some of the other committee members are Charles F. Murphy, Justice John W. Goff, Victor Herbert, Justice Peter A. Hendrick, Justice G. F. Collins, Martin Conboy, Col. L. D. Connelley, John Devoe, John P. Dunn, Justice Edward J. Gavegan, Francis Hackett, Dr. Gertrude Kelly, Brandon Tynan, Thomas Hughes Kelly and John D. Moore.

PLENTY OF JOBS, BUT NOT THE RIGHT KIND

Kirchwey Explains Problems of Reemployment Bureau.

Dr. George W. Kirchwey, director of the State Employment Service for the State of New York, declined to snuff yesterday at a printed statement that the reemployment bureau, in charge of placing soldiers, sailors and marines, is to refuse such a permit.

"If a graduate mechanical engineer can be thoroughly drilled with a job as a teamster, then I suppose it is entirely true that there are enough jobs to go around in the city," Dr. Kirchwey said. "But the fact is that five jobs for ditch diggers do not make one job for an office manager, the analyst could not depart from the apparent mathematical fact that there were more jobs available than there were applicants to fill them. Of course the reverse is the case. There is a very great shortage of clerical jobs for the production of men. When you consider the professional field, the shortage is quite appalling. Can any one believe that the unemployment problem is solved by offering an \$18 or \$20 a week job to a man capable of earning at least \$3,000 a year by use of a brain which was trained in an American university? In my opinion, there will be an unemployment problem until we have a man who won the war for America has obtained a job which is decently fitted to his real abilities."

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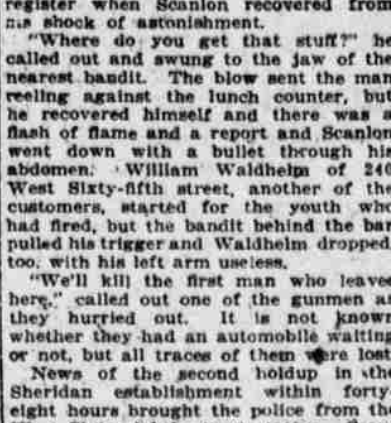
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Crops of any kind are not dependent upon soil alone, for time and care and quality and quantity of seed planted have much to do with the harvest.

Happy-go-lucky farming or storekeeping are much the same. It is the man and the manner of operation just with a little of "aboveness" in thinking out the right things and applying his thinking at the right time in the proper place that fills the barns and savings banks or the store and its harvest.

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These photographs, taken at Maisons Lafitte, arrived by the last French mail. They are the exponents of famous Paris houses—the modes that Paris is mad about at the moment.

“Francoise”

Our copy is \$12.75

Fashioned of heavy white Georgette crepe, polka-dotted in porcelain blue or French rose.

Carefully selected sports blouses

This season we are specializing sports blouses as we never have before. Sports are going to play a more important part in American life than they ever have before.

Collars are the important feature of these blouses. We are not boastful when we say that every new, correct and practical collar ever created for sports wear is in this collection.

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1340 pairs children's shoes

Sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2, \$3.35; were \$4. Sizes 11 to 12, \$3.85; were \$5. Sizes 13 to 14, \$4.85; were \$6.

A sale that seldom happens

because this style and grade of shoe has been made for us by the same manufacturer for a long time. Of late his deliveries have been too slow for us, and we have made new arrangements for a similar grade of shoes from another manufacturer. So we are closing out present stocks in order to make room for new "line"!

Butt and lace shoes in black, laced shoes in light and dark tan

They are shoes specially designed to fit growing feet. The models have been Wanamaker favorites for many years. Comfortably rounded toes. High cut. Low heels. A to E widths in all sizes.

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Gentlemen's sack suits

made to individual order and liking with silk linings in the sleeves

\$80 \$85 \$90

Wide Choice

imported summer weight wools. Grays, browns, checks, plaids, pencil stripes

Special orders taken for Golf suits, riding breeches, uniforms

The LONDON SHOP

In the Burlington Arcade, Street Floor, New Building.

For the Man with a Car

REDLEAF LONDON Balmacan topcoats in a fascinating range of colors and patterns, \$60. Raincoats of gabardine, London Guards model, best all-around, inverted pleat in back, \$40. Tan rubberized raincoat, \$22.50. Dust-coats, mohair lined. Shantung, Palm Beach cloth, \$5 to \$25. Knee robes, for closed open cars, \$5 to \$20. Burlington Arcade Floor, New Bldg.